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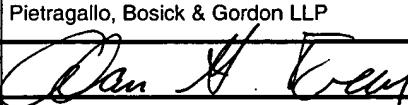
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First Named Inventor	John Window
Art Unit	n/a
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## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm Name	Pietragallo, Bosick & Gordon LLP		
Signature			
Printed name	Alan G. Towner		
Date	January 26, 2006	Reg. No.	32,949

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Typed or printed name	Alan G. Towner	Date	January 26, 2006

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

## For FY 2006

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$)
 **65.00**
**Complete if Known**

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Attorney Docket No.	SERJ 70820

**METHOD OF PAYMENT** (check all that apply)

Check  Credit Card  Money Order  None  Other (please identify): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: **500859** Deposit Account Name: **Pietragallo**

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

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**FEE CALCULATION** (All the fees below are due upon filing or may be subject to a surcharge.)

**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**
**Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	
				Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
- 20 or HP =	x	=		50	25

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

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- 3 or HP =	x	=			

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**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

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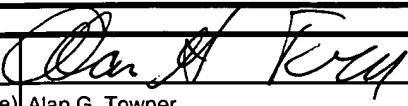
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): late filing surcharge

**Fees Paid (\$)**

65.00

**SUBMITTED BY**

Signature  Registration No. 32,949  
 Name (Print/Type) Alan G. Towner Date January 26, 2006

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.136. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 30 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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Application No.	:	10/537,941	Confirmation No. 1394
Applicant	:	John Window	
Filed	:	June 3, 2005	
Title:	:	MECHANISM FOR SECURING TOGETHER BUILDING MODULES	
TC/A.U.	:	n/a	
Examiner	:	n/a	
Docket No.	:	SERJ 70820	
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**LETTER IN RESPONSE TO  
NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

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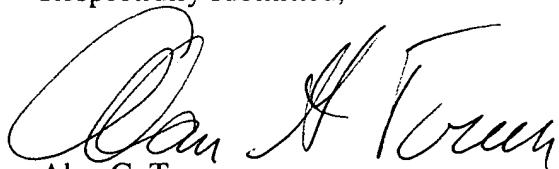
January 26, 2006

Sir:

In response to the enclosed Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office, dated December 28, 2005, enclosed are executed Declaration for Utility or Design Patent Application and Power of Attorney documents for the captioned case.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 500859 in the amount of \$65 for the surcharge. Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500859.

Respectfully submitted,



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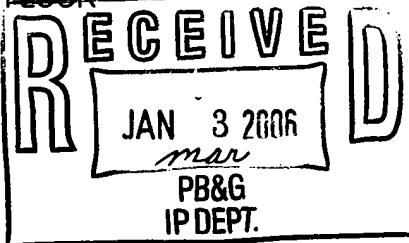
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PCT/GB03/05270 ✓

I.A. FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE
12/03/2003 ✓	12/03/2002 ✓

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371 FORMALITIES LETTER



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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/03/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/03/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 11/10/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 11/10/2005
- Small Entity Statement filed on 06/03/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/03/2005
- Assignment filed on 06/03/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 06/03/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.

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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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